

TOURISTS WILL FIND
THE UPPER GLADES
BOOMING NEXT WINTER

PORT MAYACA CANAL POINT PAHOKEE CHOSEN BELLE GLADE SOUTH BAY OKEELANTA LAKE HARBOR RITTA BARE BEACH CLEWISTON MOORE HAVEN OKEECHOBEE
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PROTECT PUBLIC'S ACCESS TO OCEAN

Nominee For County Commissioner
Answers Palm Beach
Newspaper's Inquiry

FAVORS RETENTION OF
BOULEVARD ON OCEAN

Confesses That Time and
Manner of Rebuilding Boulevard
Is For Voters' Decision

Favoring the retention of Ocean Boulevard in its original location and its rebuilding at the earliest possible time, reluctance to take part in a matter that is still in the hands of other persons and which he has not yet been authorized to deal with, is stated by Howard Sharp, nominee for county commissioner from the Everglades district, in a letter written last week in reply to a telegram from the Palm Beach Times.

The Democratic nominee from the Everglades (fifth) district pledges himself not to surrender any right of the public to access to the ocean, use of the water front but confesses that the time and manner of rebuilding Ocean Boulevard is a matter about which there ought to be careful consideration of what it will cost and who will pay for it.

The letter, written in reply to an inquiry from the Palm Beach Times, follows:

Your telegram of August 26, delayed delivery, requested an expression on diversion of Ocean Boulevard, and addresses me as county commissioner.

I am grateful for the implication that my nomination by the Democratic voters of the fifth commissioner district is to be approved by the voters of the entire county, but I am not unmindful that a general election is to be held throughout the county November 2 and that in general it will be unfair to the east coast and bad policy on behalf of the Everglades for the commissioners from the western district to determine action on matters that are local to the east coast.

If I am elected a member of the board of county commissioners my desire shall be to have members from the east coast section of the county control all local matters in their districts. They who have the best information are closest at hand and have been selected by the majority of voters to be the best judge of action in their districts.

I do not profess to be fully informed on all phases of the condition of Ocean Boulevard and cost of restoration to its former condition, but I suspect that the final decisions on some points must await the action of voters in a bond election.

We now live in the Lake Okeechobee section of Palm Beach county and know the value of highways on water fronts and desire the maintenance of a good road on the shores of the lake, understand and sympathize with the desire of all who advocate retention of Ocean Boulevard in its original location.

Residents of the county have a right of access to the ocean and lakes, and the maintenance of access to the ocean and lake is a valuable asset to the tourist business. Any reduction or limitation of access to water fronts is a reduction and limiting of public property.

I read in your paper that a plan has been offered for the rebuilding of Ocean Boulevard at a cost of \$100,000 and was provided for in the county bond issue voted on and rejected a few weeks ago. Reduction in the cost of the work to be financed should hasten the time when the project can be taken up again. The work that is being done on the Boulevard by the Town of Palm Beach should add to the data as to most practicable method and its cost.

It might be a good political device for me to utilize this opportunity and declare that I would see to it, if elected, that Ocean Boulevard is rebuilt right where it used to be, but I judge the cold fact to be that it cannot be done until the money has been provided and that is up to the taxpayers voters, not to the county commissioners.

Certainly I would not assent to the surrender of public property, regardless of the time and manner of rebuilding the boulevard.

Yours very truly,
HOWARD SHARP.

Is Moonshine Legume? What Its Food Value

Is the moonshine a legume? What is its feeding value for cattle and dogs? A reader of The Everglades News transmits these questions. He doesn't expect the editor to answer off-hand—his idea is that publication of the question will bring replies from persons who should know. Professor H. L. Seer of the Canal Point agricultural school, W. S. Hiatt, the county agent, or some of the staff of the College of Agriculture at Gainesville. Or can some one else tell us where information can be had?

We are still without the information we want about pigeon peas.

IRRIGATION AND DRAINAGE DITCHES

Two Independent Systems
on Port Mayaca
Farm Tracts

Anticipating the installation of drainage and irrigation systems, two hundred acres of virgin land south of St. Lucie canal and east of the Florida East Coast railroad track is being prepared for the planting of vegetable crops, and seed beds have been made in the lake front. The land is about nine miles north of Canal Point and is the property of the Mayaca Company.

Establishment of poultry plants in the same locality is being arranged by George M. Osborn of West Palm Beach, manager of the Mayaca Company property. D. H. James, superintendent, has placed 600 chickens on a plot not far from the commissary.

Creation of nucleuses is the first step in the development of a small farm section at Port Mayaca, the residence section on the lake front being left for complete development later. In the meantime, the land is being cleared and Tussocks, in making a deep and clean drainage east of the ridge on the lake front, is pumping and across Corners Highway west to further build up the shore between the lake and the highway. The effect of this is to give uniformity to the land.

Right of way has been cleared for a drainage ditch to start from a point on the lake front, in the vicinity of the intersection of the road between the Florida East Coast railroad crossing and the old Ferry, the ditch to run two miles to the south end of the property which is the north line of Palm Beach county near the Tyner & Reynolds Brothers' section.

CHOSEN

Rev. W. Jesse Thomas was out Sunday.

The pump in the triangle is doing good work. Some planting has been done but the grasshoppers get things as soon as they can.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubbell were out from Miami Monday looking after their farm. Mr. and Mrs. Fleming have returned from their trip north and are now at home with J. R. Leatherman.

Dr. Friedman has been sick and although he is up he is improving slowly. Nearly every day there are people inquiring for land for trucking.

PUMP FOR SEC. 8

Guy Sharon, R. Boe, J. R. Poland and Messrs. Olson and Anderson went to Ritta Island the latter part of last week and saw how the pump operates on Edw. A. Forbes' property.

The co-operation of non-residents who have been reached to put a pump in section 8, where all of the dike arrangement is already taken care of, is being urged by the county agent.

LUMBER TO KRAEMER
Lumber cut by L. L. Davis at his mill in Okeechobee county is being transported from Canal Point to Kraemer Island by John Fults for Turner & Gunn. The lumber is well grooved and is being moved in the Iris F and is being used to make a breakwater.

CHICKENS TO BRIGHTON
Several truck loads of chickens have passed through Canal Point in the past two weeks on route to the Curtis-Bright settlement at Brighton, the state road No. 8 west of Okeechobee.

G. S. COX GROCERY
G. S. Cox has opened a grocery store in a new building on the Stuckey land south of the railroad contractors camp.

BREAK CLOSED IN EAST SIDE LEVEE

Big Dredge Leaves Forked River
To Reinforce Lakeshore
Dike To Ritta

WATER STARTS DOWN AS
LAKE FLOW IS CUT OFF

Dredge Caloosahatchee Finishes
Good Job In Less Than The
Estimated Time

Having filled a break in the lake shore levee at Forked River with solid material the Arundel Corporation dredge Caloosahatchee pulled away from that point Wednesday forenoon, starting for the Ritta-Clewiston area to dig as it moves along the 17 miles of the route and repair all of the breaks made in the lake shore levee by the hurricane in July. The effect of the work was to shut off water that has been coming in from the lake and overflowing farm land.

Immediately on the closing of the break water began to fall. The Caloosahatchee did at Forked River in 21 working hours what was originally estimated by the inspector to require 124 hours. The break in the levee at that point was closed Sunday at 1 o'clock; the dredge then kicked back a second cut and a second fill, completing the job with rock. Forked River is an arm of Pelican Bay six miles south of Pahokee. It is in section 8 and township 43, range 37.

There was expectation in some quarters that the Caloosahatchee would turn at Forked River and work back north toward the Pahokee district pump station, to put out more rock, the rock to serve as surfacing for a road on the levee, but The Everglades News' information is that the Caloosahatchee will proceed from Forked River south and west along the lake front, raising the levee in the three miles between Cason on Hillsboro canal and South Fork on North River canal, and continuing to Clewiston via Lake Harbor and Ritta.

Opening In Glades For
An Insurance Agency

An insurance agency in West Palm Beach that has handled most of the business at Canal Point and Pahokee announces that it does not want to renew policies on property here. It writes new business, on the ground that the Lake Okeechobee region is too far from the county seat for the insurance business to be looked after from there.

If this is the case there is an opening for a resident agent.

Sugarland Pumps In
Operation This Week

Pumps of the Sugarland drainage district, located around Clewiston, were put in operation Monday. This is in addition to the pumps that serve the Jewett drainage district.

The Sugarland district is pumped into Lake Okeechobee and immediately the land began drying.

MARKET BUREAU

Wholesale quotation prices, local wholesalers charged local retailers at the Jacksonville market as reported by the State Marketing Bureau, 204 St. James building, Jacksonville, Tuesday, September 7, 1926.

Beans, Kentucky Wonder, \$1.25/63.50
Beans, Lima, 7-8 bushel hampers, 2.25/62.50
Eggs, standard crates fancy, 2.00/62.50
Okees, 10 bushel hampers, 1.75/62.00
Peppers, 7-8 bushel hampers, 1.00/61.00
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START PLANTING BEANS NEXT WEEK

Fall Crop Promises To Be Larger
and Earlier Than Ever
Before In Glades

PUMPS AND CLEARING ADD
TO AREA TO BE FARMED

Plants In Seed Beds In Good
Condition and Ready For
Transplanting To Fields

Planting of the early fall crop of vegetables is under way in the upper Glades and is comparable to the starting of large factories with heavy payroll. Tractors pulling plows are being put into use to make other and larger tracts of land ready for planting. Sales of seed have been rapid at all times indicate that the acreage of fall planting will be the largest ever made in the upper Everglades and the crop earlier than ever before.

So far the plantings have been of Valencia beans and Irish potatoes, chiefly for local and east coast markets and only on the land which escaped flooding by lake dike breaking or rainfall, by reason of its elevation. No peppers, tomatoes or eggplants and Ritta and south have been transplanted so far. Plants of these vegetables are held in their seed beds to avoid need of cultivating the ground in which the plants are set.

There is prospect that 10,000 to 12,000 acres of land will be cultivated from Lake canal to Clewiston in the 1926-27 season. This includes Port Mayaca, Canal Point, Pahokee, Chosen, Belle Glade, South Bay, Okeelanta and Ritta. The area is being cleared and leveled. Drainage by pumping will add 200 to 400 acres to the area available for cultivation.

In a general way the 10,000 to 12,000 estimated acreage likely to be in cultivation during the season will be divided about 50-50 between the eastern shore of the lake (East Beach) and the southern shore (South Bay). Double cropping of land will make the total acreage larger but will only add to the amount of land in the total acreage.

Wet On East Coast;
No Tomatoes Set Yet

When C. P. Sheffield visited Dade county recently he saw tomato vines near Cutler Station, but when Tom Sheppard looked around Homestead and found that the vines were not set, he said that the vines are not set yet. The vines are not set yet. The vines are not set yet.

Second Dragline Goes
To Hillsboro Canal

District tug boat No. 7 and Captain Lon Damm's steamboat Lilly brought back a dredge to Hillsboro canal. The dredge was a Bucyrus dragline machine for Contractor McKennie. The dragline is being taken to Hillsboro canal to get the dredge to Hillsboro canal to get the dredge to Hillsboro canal.

Republicans Split;
Two Sets of Nominees

TALLAHASSEE, Sept. 8.—That the republican party, although split, is apparently planning to try to at least make a show of opposition to the governor election in Florida, is evidenced by the fact that candidates for high offices have actually qualified with the secretaries of state here and their names are to go upon the ballots.

The election, to be held November 2, will find three candidates for some of the offices, and along the republican line in the field by the Democrats. State Delegation Convention of the Republican Party, and the Republican Party, according to the list of names to be certified for entry on the ballot by Secretary of State H. Clay Crawford.

Chief Engineer On Quick Trip To Glades

Fred C. Elliot of Tallahassee, Fla., chief engineer of Everglades drainage district, passed through Canal Point at noon yesterday. He came out from West Palm Beach in an automobile accompanied by Assistant Engineer Watts and another employee. After a short inspection at the spillway he continued north, probably to St. Lucie canal. He saw most of the land east of Canal Point on way to water.

TO PACK FISH
F. M. Davis was in Canal Point recently and made inquiry about the practicability of establishing a fish packing house here. He was encouraged to do so by Station Agent Daugherty of F. C. railroad and said he probably would.

Canal Elevation 17.1
Still Bit Too High

At noon yesterday (Thursday), the 90th East Palm Beach canal was at elevation 17.1 and the lake at 18.6. The lake elevation is the same as for several days. The canal has been going down since the water in the dike at Forked River was closed Sunday.

A very heavy rain fell at West Palm Beach on Tuesday and 8 o'clock Wednesday night and there was rain as far west as 20-mile bend, which will tend to keep the canal from lowering.

BELLE GLADE ROAD

Grade Being Made At
One Point, Rock Drilled
At Another

BELLE GLADE, Sept. 7.—The Bryan & Holloway dragline is throwing up the grade for the cross-street road from a point near the bridge to the northeast corner of section 6, where the dredge stopped. The drill barge came in Sunday and is now drilling rock for the Belle Glade-Pahokee road.

W. W. Seckins, West Palm Beach's popular florist, was here last week looking to the production of certain kinds of flowers which can be raised in the Everglades to greater perfection than on the coast, both for his own shop in the Lake Park Arcade. But for several of the big hotels at Palm Beach. When we have learned just what varieties to raise and best methods of handling them, flowers look like one of our paying crops of the future.

Mrs. J. M. Kelley has returned from a two week visit to Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kelley have gone to Thomasville, Ga., for a visit with Mrs. Kelley's parents.

Donny Aspery of Meadvale, Pa., is assisting at the Badger store till the "provision" season begins, when he will farm with his father.

L. T. Betner is again in charge of the Denton store, after a several weeks vacation. G. E. Tedder has returned from a vacation spent in driving over most of the New England states, and into Canada. Mrs. Tedder went to Miami for a visit before returning here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brown and son of Rib Lake, Wis., are the guests of M. C. Eggleston and family.

Registration Books Open For New Voters

Persons who became of voting age since the last election can qualify now by registering with the precinct registration officers. Likewise persons who have come into the state in the past year and lived in the county six months can now register. The registration books reopened this week and will remain open until October 9. W. H. Vann is the registration officer for Canal Point and Mrs. J. R. Poland for Pahokee. The books are at the residences of the officers.

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TO LAY 1 MILE OF TRACK NEXT WEEK

Florida East Coast Railroad Is
More Than Half Way To
Chosen From Canal Point

HILLSBORO CANAL TO BE
REACHED BY CHRISTMAS

Cowhorn Slough Is Bridged and
Rails Will Go Into Section
29, Twp. 43, Range 37

The entire force having been employed in the past week in making the sand cushion grade on the muck fill for the Florida East Coast railroad's extension from Canal Point to Hillsboro canal, it is estimated that a mile of track of grade having been built up to sustain the weight and carry trains, track laying will be resumed next week and it is estimated that a mile of steel will be laid. This will extend the track into section 29, township 43, range 37 and within a mile of Whidden canal.

The sand fill was within half a mile of Cowhorn slough when track laying was suspended last week. The bridge over the slough is completed and trains should cross it next week. The mile driver that puts in foundations for bridges has been moved one mile ahead and will bridge a slough west of Whidden canal.

The muck fill is made three miles ahead of the steel and will continue sufficiently in advance so that track laying will proceed without delay on that score.

Closing the opening in the lake shore levee at Forked River in section 8 and cutting off of water has been an aid to railroad work.

The crossing holds that the rails will be at Hillsboro canal by Christmas and although the railway will not be completed to that point by that time the long iron rails are being laid on steel tracks. It is planned that service to truckers be given by hauling refrigerator cars in construction trains, as was done from Swan Cut Slough before the track was extended to Canal Point.

Gladeview Dredges To Dig Rock For Roads

Two dredges, shipped in sections, were received this week at Gladeview Farms to be used in digging rock from existing canals, the rock to be placed in the canals and used as material for hard roads through the development. A drill barge will be outfitted to shoot the rock ahead of the dredges. The dredges came from Poplar Bluff, Mo.

Gladeview is on Okeechobee road canal, four miles west of 20-mile bend. It is the site of Palm Beach Everglades Farms and the Palm Beach Banana Plantations. The development already is provided with main and lateral drainage ditches.

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Places Made At Which To Unload Road Rock

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"Acknowledgment to Mrs. King of the high regard in which she was held was not withheld in the winter of widespread use of the term Mother King in conversation and in print although the Lake Okechobee region had the significance of the word saint. It is just to add this formal acknowledgment; it is well to do so for another reason; that the money which late Mother King kept the promise that their deeds of kindness will be remembered with gratitude as she is here."

PEOPLE WE KNOW

Gus Wheeler writes from Syosset, L. I. As he will not be recognized under that name it is necessary to explain that the distinguished G. A. (Augustus) Wheeler who spends winter in West Palm Beach and his money in the Everglades. He says he expects to be on East Coast in October, and weeks, which would put him here about the middle of October. Mr. Wheeler has backed his confidence in the Lake Okechobee region, his money and owns some of the choicest properties on East Beach, and around Miami Canal. He has encouraged several of his friends to make investments in this region.

CALLERS

"W. W. Seekins of West Palm Beach, runs a seed store in that city, was on the latter part of 1919, he brought with him R. N. Hume, formerly of Miller, S. D., and Fort Pierce and Walter S. Puffer of Chicago to show from the country. He called at Canal Point they went to Belle Glade.

On their way to Okechobee Saturday, Fort F. Q. and West Palm Beach and Lon A. Hough of both West Palm Beach and Okechobee, looked in on The Everglades News. They did business in the city for twenty years ago, they will be buying and selling Florida land as long as they live, and they are doing business even now when they are slow to move. They are good real estate salesmen because they believe in the country.

CORRESPONDENCE

Tallahassee, Fla., Sept. 2, 1926.
Editor, The Everglades News.—
Your issue of August 28 has more than usually encouraging news as to the progress of the drainage and reclamation of the Everglades.

First, that the St. Lucie control canal will be finished to grade by October 1, and the canal discharging to full capacity.

Second, that your "Farm Talk" you state that "the pump over the water down nearly six feet below the surface of the outside canal," and

Third, that you are convinced that "lowering is better than raising the water level, I am of course, fully agree with which, I am at a loss to understand why, with the Palm Beach canal West, the water level should be lowered. The lower pond should be at 17.3 with the water in the canal "five miles west of 20-mile head" should be 15.8, or 17 feet below the lower end of the lake, without there be a reef or other obstruction to the flow of the water in the drainage canal below the pumping station.

If the West Palm Beach canal is cut to grade and its width and depth as designed, there should be no necessity for pumping on the territory along the canal. Of course, if the canal is congested pumping will increase the burden of the drainage canal and will Lake Clark or Gladesville drainage district through which a branch of the West Palm Beach canal was not provided with a clean and unobstructed outlet through Lake Clark to Lake Worth side, the same damages occur in the future in the case of the water "backed up" above the spill-

THE WORLD'S GREAT EVENTS

ALBERT PAYSON TERHUNE

(By Dr. D. M. A. Company.)

TRAYANT and patriot, conspirator A and for conspiracies, priest and traitor of blood, soldier and traitor, great statesman and greater oppressor, generous patron of literature and personally a literary failure. These, in brief, are the chief characteristics of Armand Jean de Fleissac, cardinal and Duke de Richelieu, the man who held for a France in the hollow of his hand a conquered country, and who more than his share towards changing the destiny and history of the world.

Henry IV. and the quarrels between Catholics and Huguenots, had built up the nation that had been so severely battered by long civil war, and had never before known of progress. But in the height of his career he had been murdered. His son, Louis XIII, succeeded him, and during the reign of this king, queen mother, Marie de Medici, and the latter's Italian friends were in practical control. As a result, the great nobles waxed indolent, arrogant and rebellious of royal command; abuses of many sorts crept into the state; and finally, the king, by Henry IV. threatened to weaken and fall prey to foreign influences.

When Louis XIII grew to manhood there seemed some hope that he would be a great ruler. He was weak, dissolute, lazy, stupid, with little thought or care for his country's best interests. It was at this critical moment that Richelieu appeared on the scene.

Richelieu had been educated for the army, but on his older brother's death, he was sent to the court. At the age of twenty-one, he was the boy bishop. Far away in Paris, glittered the gay court, and that court became his goal. Thither he went as chief secretary of state. In 1614, and there he stayed. He won the interest of the queen mother, and by her influence made his political debut when, owing to court politics, he was disgraced and banished from Paris. But in 1620 he returned, and two years later became cardinal.

From thence on he was the foremost power in the state. He set to work at once tearing to pieces France's flimsy political fabric and remodeling it into a solid structure. By execution, banishment and imprisonment he cut down the privileges and growing strength of the great nobles. He demolished their mighty fortresses and curtailed their feudal rights. The power thus snatched from them was added to the crown. Next he assailed the Huguenots, his old enemies, and crushed their feudal rights. The power thus snatched from them was added to the crown. Next he assailed the Huguenots, his old enemies, and crushed their feudal rights.

By thus adding to the might of the crown and cutting away all forces that threatened to rival the power of the crown, Richelieu was really strengthening himself. For he, said not the puppet, Louis XIII, was actual ruler of France. Having disposed of the four great enemies, Richelieu next moved to check the power of the Hapsburgs in Austria and Spain, adding to the power of the Swedish Protestants in the Thirty Years' war, with a cheerful disregard to the fact that he had just tried to crush Protestantism in France. It was also by his contrivance that Portugal, in 1640, separated from Spain.

Meanwhile, Louis XIII feared and hated Richelieu and his mighty power. He was a man of the earth, and he had been to the government France without the cardinal's aid. But Richelieu was without Richelieu, and was pleasant, while leading an idle, dissipated life, to know no other was making his kingdom the greatest in Europe.

The nobles whose privileges the cardinal had curtailed, the soldiers and galleys whose duties he had forbidden on pain of death, the courtiers, the king, all detested Richelieu. The queen mother, who had launched him in his career, turned against him. He wrecked her political power at one blow. The nobles again and again conspired to overthrow or assassinate him. He put off the conspirators' heads. The clergy and parliament murmured at his tyranny. He put aside checks on his power. Two nobles, Duke of Montmorency and the Duke of Nemours, and there can be little doubt King Louis was privy to their plot. Richelieu had the king's permission and the king dared not defend them.

With iron hand, relentlessly, arrogantly, yet ever wisely, this strange man crushed the despotic nobles, making her powerful at home and terrible abroad, crushing out feudalism, building up centralized royal power, conducting an incredibly brilliant foreign policy. He was an ardent patron of art and culture and was author of some of the most powerful poems and dramas of his day. Yet of these wretched literary efforts he is said to have been prouder than of his political successes.

In December, 1642, he died, having placed France on a pinnacle of greatness that was the envy of the world. His puppet and dupe, Louis XIII, died, and his son, Louis XIV, who was a great statesman, was largely due to the achievements of that relentless genius, Cardinal Richelieu, the man who was greater than the king.

shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 20th day of September, A. D. 1926. Witness my official signature and seal this 6th day of August, A. D. 1926.

(Seal) Fred E. Fenno, Clerk Circuit Court, Palm Beach County, Florida.

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Under Section 777 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida

Notice is hereby given that J. P. Johns purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 3589, dated the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1915, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Palm Beach County, Florida, to-wit: Lot 1 block 259 Lake Worth. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Unknown. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 20th day of September, A. D. 1926. Witness my official signature and seal this 12th day of August, A. D. 1926.

(Seal) Fred E. Fenno, Clerk Circuit Court, Palm Beach County, Florida.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Under Section 777 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida

Notice is hereby given that J. Mulligan, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 2986, dated the 6th day of September, A. D. 1920, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Palm Beach County, Florida, to-wit: Lot 5 block 76 Town of Lake Worth as recorded in plat book 29 to 40. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Arthur W. Schroeder. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 20th day of September, A. D. 1926.

Witness my official signature and seal this 6th day of August, A. D. 1926.

(Seal) Fred E. Fenno, Clerk Circuit Court, Palm Beach County, Florida.

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Notice is hereby given that J. Mulligan, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 2977, dated the 6th day of September, A. D. 1920, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Palm Beach County, Florida, to-wit: Lot 18 block 73 Town of Lake Worth as recorded in plat book 29 to 40. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Annie Hanson. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 20th day of September, A. D. 1926.

Witness my official signature and seal this 6th day of August, A. D. 1926.

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Notice is hereby given that J. Mulligan, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 3404, dated the 6th day of September, A. D. 1920, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Palm Beach County, Florida, to-wit: Lot 1 block 243 Town of Lake Worth as recorded in plat book 29 to 40. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Virginia B. Beghler. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 20th day of September, A. D. 1926.

Witness my official signature and seal this 6th day of August, A. D. 1926.

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Farm Talk

Howard Sharp

Early Planting Advised
Giving advice is dangerous business, but early in September of last year I advised in this column that growers plant just as early as the condition of the ground permitted—just an acre or so, to start, and to keep on planting. I haven't any more sense than to repeat this advice, and for exactly the same reasons I gave last year.

I said a year ago that weather, was as likely to be bad here north as it is likely to be bad here; that is, that the markets in northern cities were likely to lose their supplies and to need early stuff from the south. With Carolina tomatoes selling at \$2.50 a crate in Jacksonville and Kentucky Wonder beans bringing \$2.25 now, it is certain there are no large supplies in North Florida Georgia or the Carolinas. Supplies from these states will be out by the time Glades stuff is ready.

Growers are wrong when they expect a \$4.00 market for all the beans they grow; they are wrong when they fail to plant for a net \$2.63 market in the fall. It is all right to plant to hit the high market but if everybody plants at a certain time the production will be so heavy there will not be a high market for anybody.

Beans have been planted and other stuff set at Plant City and some other places in the state, but the acreage is small and the Lake Okechobee region can make vegetable crops in short a time as any section and probably in shorter time. The east coast markets will be better 45 days from now than they have been because there will have no where to draw from except the lake region. So prices ought to be good.

There is another strong reason for putting out a few acres of vegetables as soon as possible, and that is to get the market by seed and pay other expenses of the spring crop.

Popularize Glades Products
While the price reduction movement was being discussed in West Palm Beach, it was suggested at a meeting of the Kiwanis Club by John Zimmer that one of the most practical ways to work along that line would be to create a sentiment among housewives and other residents of West Palm Beach favoring the purchase of home-grown products. The suggestion was accepted and a committee of the club was appointed to act on the idea and carry out work to that end. This was a fine and generous and practical action. The Kiwanis Club has done its part—it has started a movement and offered the service of a committee; it will be difficult to go farther unless the committee has the support of the other half of the people the movement is intended to benefit, that is, the growers.

Growers in the Glades have claimed that their produce was discriminated against in West Palm Beach; it is to be presumed they will welcome aid in overcoming the practice of discrimination, and that aid is offered by the Kiwanis Club.

Somewhere from the Everglades ought to offer to make a little talk before the Kiwanis Club at one of its noon meetings. A man doesn't have to be a "speechmaker" to talk at the luncheon clubs—all he has to do is to talk as in ordinary conversation. If, however, no one will offer to make a talk at a club meeting, some one from the Glades should get in communication with the club's committee. As John Zimmer was the member who made the suggestion at the club meeting he probably is a member of the committee. Mr. Zimmer's office is in Argon Arcade.

Georgia Markets Peanut Crop
MOULTREE, Ga., Sept. 2.—South Georgia's big peanut crop is being marketed, according to reports received here. Prices range around \$100 a ton, although it is said that in some points \$110 is being paid. At these figures the growers are said to realize a substantial profit.

This season, as has been true since the bog industry became an important one, most of the peanuts grown will be fed to swine. The porkers are turned into the fields and kept there until they are ready for market. Hogstake on weight rapidly when fed on peanuts and many farmers believe that selling the peanuts "on the hoof" is the most profitable method of disposing of them.

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The Everglades News has a good many subscribers who have no particular interest in the Everglades but who like the paper as a paper, many of these subscribers being personal friends of the publisher. One of these is Arch Robinson, of the staff of the General Engineering and Management Corporation. In writing to have his address changed from Maplewood, N. J., to Dunsmuir, Fla., he adds the postscript: "Hello, Sharp. I like your editorial and political spunk."

EVERY ONE READS ON N. Y. SUBWAY

Stations and Trains Jammed in Rush Hours.

New York.—To ride on the subway between two persons, one reading a Yiddish newspaper and the other a Chinese journal, is nothing unusual to the New Yorker.

Yellow, white and black people, representatives of all nations, are the underground commuters. And all of them read. It may be a newspaper or tabloid of any language, or Shakespeare, Shaw or Cobb. But the confirmed subwayite always reads—unless he is too tightly jammed to raise his hands.

One ride would convince any critic that Father Knickerbocker's stenographers and salesgirls are the best or worst read in the world.

Their subway literature ranges from "Sadie's Love Quest" and "Advice to the Lovelorn" to Barrie and Lewis. On one trip two adjoining girls were separately reading Hawthorne's "The Scarlet Letter" and Robert Ingersoll. Any number of modern and popular writers could find encouragement in the numbers reading their works.

Books mostly are in the hands of feminine readers. Men take the newspapers. Students, of whom there are great numbers, seem to like the trains as study halls. Probably there could be no greater test in concentration.

The "classes" ride in shifts. Laborers predominate around 6, 6 and 7 a. m. Then come clerks, stenographers and business men. Brokers and bankers are mostly in evidence between 8:30 and 10. After them come the housewives on shopping and visiting tours.

During the morning and evening rush hours the stations and trains are overrun by the thousands. Perhaps fifty get seats in a car and a hundred others try to grab as many straps. Those who fall do not need them—they hold up each other.

When toes are smashed and shins barked, quarrels or lectures on subway etiquette often result to the amusement of others. Sometimes a man's bunion is kicked as he heads for the doorway and he pauses to dare some one to step outside. The same one in question invites him to come back into the car.

But about that time the automatic door slams shut.

JAP RADIO EXPERT



The Japanese Edison is the name often given to Hiroshi Ando, twenty-four years old. He is claimed to be the successful inventor of radio television, or the transmission of motion pictures by wireless. He also claims to have invented and patented in Japan the neodyne feature of radio one year before it was patented in the United States.

College Girl Writes With Pencil in Teeth

New York.—Although unable to use her hands, Henrietta Edelshelm, has passed through primary and high school and now is a student at Hunter college, doing all her written exercises with a pencil held in her teeth. Her dream is to be a designer or a journalist, in which careers she would have to put her pencil to a more delicate use than she did in school.

Henrietta is inclined to think she has done nothing unusual in triumphing over such a handicap. "People talk as though what I have done is remarkable," she said, "but it never occurred to me. I could not use my hands to write and I had to write to go to school and having nothing else I used my teeth."

"Back Seat" Driving Ruled Divorce Cause

San Francisco—"Back seat" automobile driving is a just cause for divorce. The Supreme court of California has ruled so, in a case here.

Claude H. Harman sued for a divorce on the ground that his wife, Jessie, belittled his ability as a driver by constantly telling him from the back seat just how he should negotiate the dangerous curves ahead.

A lower court refused to grant a divorce, and Harman appealed to the Supreme court. The decree was granted.

Cajun Justice Not

Ruled by Blackstone

The old Cajun justices of southwestern Louisiana were important personages. The trials, which were held at the justices' homes, were made all-day affairs, the neighbors driving in from miles around. Evidence was taken informally, although the verdict was usually based upon the justice's point of view rather than upon any mere point of law.

For example, I know of a planter who brought suit against one of his tenants for the recovery of a calf. His ownership being proved, he was awarded possession of the animal. Next he was ordered to pay the costs of the court.

"But," objected the planter, "I have won my case. The loser should pay." "True," agreed the justice. "But then, m'den, you have the money, whereas the other has not."

However, it was in domestic matters that these "prairie judges" really shone. One of them declared proudly that he could marry and divorce quicker than any other man in the state.

"It is quite simple," said he. "Gobble wishes to tie up with some girl. That is all right. He gives me \$5 and I write down his marriage in my book."

"After a while he don't like it. He wants to be free? That is all right again. For \$10 more I tear out the page."—Nevill Henshaw in Adventure Magazine.

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Witness my official signature and seal this 21st day of August, A. D. 1926.
(Seal)
Fred E. Fennos,
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WOMAN'S CLUB

The annual election of officers for the Pahokee Woman's Club was held Monday afternoon at the club house and the following officers were elected: Mrs. H. C. Graham, president; Mrs. R. J. Simonson, vice president; Mrs. O. B. McClure, second vice president; Miss Vera Mae Tiffin, secretary, and Mrs. J. A. Hughes, treasurer.

The new officers made short address before the club and took their offices. The new president announced that she would appoint the new chairman and committees at the next meeting which will be held the third Monday in this month.

Mrs. J. B. Crosby and Mrs. Duncan Padgett were voted into the club at this meeting.

Just before the close of the meeting a request was made of the members for the use of the club house by the faculty and student body of Canal Point high school Friday night for the benefit of the school. The club voted unanimously to grant the request.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

PAHOKEE, Fla., Sept. 8.—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Bush and child have returned to their former home in Blakely, Ga. They were accompanied by Mrs. Bush's mother, Mrs. D. P. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Tabb and son, who were visiting relatives in Plant City for a while, returned home last week.

Romers, who have been living in R. J. Simonson's house this summer, moved to their new home on the Kaltenbrunner division.

Byron, Leslie, Cash and Curtis Crews of Nocatee visited the uncle, R. J. Crews, for a few days last week.

Miss Sarah Hanson and Miss Hattie Bell left Saturday afternoon for Tallahassee. On their way there they stopped at Vero Beach to visit Hazel Boyd for a day or two. Miss Hanson will be the guest of Miss Hattie Bell until the Florida State college for Women opens where she will attend college this year.

George Glass, who used to live here, returned Wednesday from Lake Wales, where he has been for several months.

Ernest Lindrose celebrated his 12th birthday Sunday evening at his home. There were eleven of his boy friends in attendance. After playing many interesting games, ice tea, ice cream and candy were served for refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Heimer and children were visitors here Sunday and Monday. While they were visiting at St. Lucie.

Lola and Bernice Elliott, who were visiting their aunt, Mrs. I. B. Jernigan, in St. Augustine for three weeks, returned home Saturday evening.

M. G. Gamage and son, S. E. Gamage, left Tuesday for Arcadia, where they will stay a while with their folks.

Mrs. S. A. Barfield and Miss Lula Barfield went to West Palm Beach Wednesday with Charles R. Barfield, who came from West Palm Beach Tuesday. After visiting in town a few days, they will motor to Atlanta, Ga., where Miss Barfield will have her eyes treated.

Mrs. Alice Padgett and Mrs. J. B. Elliott motored to Boynton Beach Wednesday to attend to some business.

The county surveyors who were rooming at the Pahokee Inn went to Belle Glade this week.

Mrs. Ira York and daughter, Dorothy June are expected back Saturday.

York Colson of Sarasota made a short call in Pahokee on his way to Fort Lauderdale, where he will be employed in construction work for quite a while.

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COMMUNITY GOSSIP

Conditions are so much the same in all of the Lake Okechobee communities and human nature is so much the same everywhere that comment on things that happen in Canal Point will serve in general for Pahokee, Belle Glade, South Bay and other places.

The chief things of interest, of course, are roads and drainage—these are perennial (perennial means lasting, enduring, permanent, constant, continuous, ceaseless, etc.)—but there are smaller subjects about which conversation ebbs and flows, and the chief of the smaller subjects in the past week were pumps, garbage disposal and fixing up lawns and grounds around the homes and the improvement of streets and other open spaces.

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A TIME FOR ALL THINGS

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A time to be solemn, a time to be gay; There's a time we should talk, a time to be still.

A time we can laugh with a hearty good will.

There's a time for most everything under the sun.

A time when our first day on earth was begun.

A time when we pass from our youth to old age.

When we pass from our foolishness unto a sage.

There's a time we can plow, a time we can plant.

A time we can reap and a time when we can't.

There's a time made to sleep and a time made to wake.

There's a time we should weep but no time made to shirk.

There's a time when we'll come to our very last day.

To our loved ones and friends the last word we will say;

A time when we'll pass from this life unto where?

May we then be of service should be our one prayer.

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CANAL POINT

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Magaw and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Coburn used the Labor Day holiday to make a trip to Tampa to see the country.

Shirley Daughtry, who helped at the F. E. C. depot during his vacation, has returned to Okeechobee to attend school.

Howard Sharp, nominee for county commissioner, attended the meeting of the Democratic Club in West Palm Beach Wednesday night.

R. L. Eaton, nominee for railroad commissioner, stopped in Canal Point Tuesday. He had been to Okeechobee and was on his way to West Palm Beach.

Dr. Emory Thomas of West Palm Beach is looking for a contractor to move in dirt and set the fence back at the corner of Connors Highway and Pahokee road. He owns the vacant corner and the Highway Store building.

Eugene Henley of Belle Glade came over Monday night with Cooper McDonald. The purpose of the visit was to leave an order with Mr. Thompson of Exotic Gardens for tomato plants and Refugee beans. He has ground ready for planting, which shows that land is drying up in the Belle Glade district.

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C. B. Davis, who was manager of the Bass Lumber & Supply Company's yard at Canal Point for a year, resigned effective on the first of September and will go into the railroad tie business with Mr. DeBerry of Okeechobee. Mr. Davis returned a few days ago from a visit to relatives at Mr. Olive, N. C. J. T. Hutto of Okeechobee, who looked after the lumber business while Mr. Davis was away on his vacation, will continue in charge now that Mr. Davis is leaving.

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SECOND GRADE
Catherine Taylor, Charles Hall, Bobbie Raborn, Donna Lynne, Edna Shields, Edwin Simmons, Elizabeth Ward, Helen Brisco, J. J. Geiger, Juanita Stuckey, Justine Wells, Johnnie Goodman, May Thorton, Nellie Sanchez, Parish Tesh, Rudine Sherrod, William Van Stuckey, Yvonne McKel Yps.

THIRD GRADE
Agnes Irvin, Almada Fultz, Barbara Baker, Grace Livingston, Harold Carlie, Jewel Smith, Katie Wain, Martha Ward, Ollie Bell Davis, Ruth Tyner, Richard Watkins, T. J. Hall.

FOURTH GRADE
Altha Jane Fultz, Eloise Cranford, Gordon Vann, Jesse Santee, Junior Mack Thorton, Margaret Sherrod, Mack Griffin, Merlin Thompson, May Bel Lanier, Raymond Doman, Russell Lowe, Willard Shickler, Winifred McAdams, Edna Jackson.

FIFTH GRADE
Eddy Lee Simmons, Edward Thompson, Emily Carter, Blakemore Brodie, Frank Shickler, Harold Taylor, J. B. Snyder, Johnnie Lee, Margaret Tesh, Monroe Smith, Rudolph Culbreth, Ruth Brodie, Wernie Sherrod.

SIXTH GRADE
Alice Sanchez, Cressa Butler, Doyle Smith, Edna Blanton, Ellie Davis, Florence Marquis, Hazel Culbreth, Joe Gray, Julia C. Geiger, Mary Ella Doman, Mary Lowe, Woodrow Cranford, Ruth Tyner.

SEVENTH GRADE
Byron Todd, Charles Shickler, Elizabeth Stuckey, Eva Jane Butler, Eva Lowe, Inez Mansfield, Jake Gray, Jeannette Burford, John Edward Carter, John Baker, Margaret Lowe, Mary Bell Smith, Minnie Lowe, Ortha Thompson, Thomas Franklin Doman, Vernie Stuckey, Lucille Thibodeaux, Vernie Tyner.

NINTH GRADE
C. L. Walder, Edna Jensen, Elizabeth Lowe, J. B. Spooner, Jr., Justine Steadham, Lulu Conner, Mary Ethel Thompson, Raymond Padgett, Roger Thompson, Vera Belle Todd, Vincent Sanchez, Bennie Elliott, Fred Tyner.

TENTH GRADE
Albert Snyder, Betty Burford, Billy Bonham, Clarence Maxwell, David H. Baker, Julia Wilder, Ina Mae Smith, Lavergne Knute, Phillie Thibodeaux, Winifred Tidwell.

ELEVENTH GRADE
Derane Larrimore, Dorothy Burford, Edward A. Jensen, Edward Moody, Floyd Erickson, Susie Maxwell, Witt Geiger, Eva Erickson.

TWELFTH GRADE
Catherine Buchanan, Henry Larrimore, Ruth Friend.

DEATH OF J. H. SNYDER
J. H. Snyder, a native of New Jersey owner of a farm tract north of Canal Point, died the latter part of last week at the home of his daughter, Miss Emma, in West Palm Beach. He was 80 years old and had been in bad health for several months. The body was taken by the widow and daughter to Asbury Park, N. J., for burial. Mr. Snyder lived here for eight years. He was a trucker, specializing in potato growing, in which he was uniformly successful.

CALLERS FROM SOUTH BAY
D. W. Crocker of South Bay, member of the firm of Friedheim & Crocker, was in Canal Point Wednesday on business. He was accompanied by Louis Gray, son of M. V. Gray, a resident of South Bay. Louis reports that his father has planted a garden patch of potatoes in the town square. Mr. Crocker, says Mr. Hartline, who went to a health resort, is being improved by drinking the water at the spring at the resort.

PETTY THIEVES
Some one stole a can of kerosene Postmaster C. C. Coleman left in the lobby of the office Tuesday night while he did some work on the books in the back of the building. Ordinarily property is safe in Canal Point but it seems there is at least one thief. Gasoline was taken recently from a drum at the rear of the office of The Everglades News. Petty stealing cannot go on long without the thief being found out. When he is found out Deputy Sheriff Mansfield may not be called in to arrest him. The thief may be taken out into the woods by half a dozen unmasked men and given a good lashing. The trouble is in getting word of this to the thief. It is evident that the thief is a subscriber to The Everglades News and as he won't see this notice here it will be a good idea for the postmaster to post this little article on the bulletin board at the post office, for it appears that the thief does hang around the post office.

FOR RENT—10 acres on Connors Highway, SW¼ of NE¼, of SE¼, Sec. 13, Twp. 42, range 37; also 10 acres NW¼ SW¼ of NE¼, Sec. 25, Twp. 45, range 36, and 10 acres SE¼ of SE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 13, Twp. 45, range 36; will rent in single tracts or as a whole very reasonable.—F. O. Lake, 200 Lee Highway, Clarendon Branch, Washington, D. C.

FOR SALE—Banana plants, Red Jamaica and Cavendish, grown on high land near—If a buyer will take the whole 25,000 I'll lead him to a bargain counter.—A. Heyne, box 163, Canal Point, Fla.

DeLand—Stetson University will open September 15 with the largest enrollment in its history, according to S. T. Tatum, office secretary of the institution.

Having lived and farmed in the Glades for five years I know where the best land is. Get in touch with me before buying elsewhere. I will treat you square.—F. H. Friedman, Licensed Broker, Chosen, Fla.

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FOR SALE—Pepper, egg and tomato plants. Leave orders at our Pahokee farm (Culp place)—Exotic Gardens, West Palm Beach.

FOR SALE—Three year old fillie, weight about 1,000 pounds—See Dr. W. H. Lair, Pahokee, Fla.

FOR SALE—One good second hand Cleveland tractor, one good second hand double disc plow, one new tandem disc harrow. I will sell these articles for half what they are worth.—Homer J. Rogers, 317 North Lakeside Court, West Palm Beach, Fla.

FOR SALE—One acre of banana plants. See L. L. Knight, Canal Point, Fla.

FOR SALE—10 acres muck land and a lot on Connors Highway about one mile north of Canal Point. Price of all, \$2,400; cash \$400, balance easy. Emile Cotton, Box 317, South Miami, Fla.

COMPLETE courses taught in Bookkeeping, Typewriting, Gregg Short-hand, Penmanship, English, Commercial Law, Civil Service and allied subjects.—Palm Beach Business College, 509 Clematis St., West Palm Beach, Fla.

FULL-BLOOD S. C. White Leghorn cockerels for sale, Wyckoff strain; \$2.50 each. Finest ever.—Address Mrs. M. Farnum, South Bay, Fla.

FOR SALE—Twenty acres excellent farm land, east half of southeast quarter of southeast quarter of section 33, township 43, range 37, on border of cypress apple, near lake. Will sell at exceptionally low price. Land can be farmed now. Write to owner, care of The Everglades News, Canal Point, Fla.

FOR SALE—6-acre improved farm; three miles south of Canal Point. Address Box 64, Canal Point, Fla.

FOR SALE—Forty acres of heavy cypress apple land near Pahokee. For terms and terms write to the owner, Dr. L. W. Armstrong, Los Animas, Colorado.

FOR SALE—Beautiful farm tracts fronting on cross-state highway, also some with canal frontage close to good schools and churches. Get in touch with me if you wish good truck land.—F. H. Friedman, Licensed Broker, Chosen, Fla.

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Around The Great Lake

GLADES COUNTY

(Moore Haven, County Seat.) Ernest Portebout is putting in the foundation for his new residence at Citrus Center.

W. S. Click of Lakeport is bringing in the finest avocado pears you can imagine. He has several other crops on his place at Lakeport, which he markets through the stores at Moore Haven.

County Tax Collector Paul Moore and family left on their summer vacation Friday. They are going to visit relatives and friends at Genoa, N. C., after which they will come back to Georgia and spend a short while with Mrs. Moore's folks there.

O. Wagner is starting a new building for his filling station in Citrus Center. This new station is to be built along the lines of the better stations to be found on the main highways of Florida. It will be constructed of cement blocks and stucco.

W. L. Bryant who is filling in the gap in the Hippochee lake for the District Island drainage district reports that he will have the gap closed and the dam completed by some time Sunday. This means that the big pumps of the district can now be put to work pumping without drawing from Lake Hippochee as well as from the land surface.

The Glades County Chamber of Commerce meets every Friday night in the city hall in Moore Haven unless otherwise announced.

Friday, September 13, at Hotel Palmade, this being the first meeting from Moore Haven.

OKEECHOBEE

(Compiled From The News.)

Employment of an officer to patrol state road No. 8 and Connors Highway at night is advised by William Griffith, Rev. William Asher, and the staff of Rev. "Billy" Sunday, has been called to the pastorate of the Okeechobee Presbyterian church. He was a pastor in Brooksville, N. Y., for several years. Rev. Asher is now at Winona Lake, Ind., on a vacation and is expected to arrive in Okeechobee by September 19.

In settling of the affairs of the Bank of Okeechobee, P. Tomasello, the receiver, has started suit against Geo. A. Belcher, P. A. Randall and Jacob Smith, non-residents. The Dixie Land and Cattle Company is foreclosing on section 15, township 47, range 34, against C. E. Simmons, A. Friedman, H. D. Smith and Mark Rosenberg.

The county commissioner will receive bids September 11 for the building of a road west from the south line of the city. There is 14,300 yards of embankment, 10,800 square yards of rock and 10,800 square yards of rock and fill surface.

The Eastern Star celebrated the anniversary of Robert Morris, who founded the order in 1855.

E. W. Holes has recently returned from Marianna, where he spent his vacation.

Dr. H. D. Smith and family have moved to Sanford, where Dr. Smith will continue the practice of medicine.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Bass and children are expected to return from a two-weeks' vacation spent at Daytona Beach.

Mrs. Wm. Collins and Mrs. Buster Duke and children, Mrs. T. J. Myers from a visit with their mother at Fort Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Don P. Johnston and Don, Jr. left this morning for New York City. From there they will visit in Washington, D. C., and points in Virginia on a vacation.

The merchants have all signed a petition to continue closing on Thursday afternoons through the month of September the same as they did through the summer months.

The engineering company of Price & Ford, consisting of G. M. Ford and W. H. Price have consolidated with the county surveyor, R. E. Willis and will do business under the partnership name of the Okeechobee Engineering Company.

Mark Brooke, lieutenant colonel, U. S. engineers, was here to investigate the city's application for permission to put a bridge across Taylor creek on First Street. He inspected the site and as no objection was made to a bridge or the location it is assumed that a permit will be issued.

\$1,750,000 From Dade For Roads In Glades

The first samples of 1927 Florida automobile license tag has been received at the office of Governor John W. Martin.

It is embossed with white letters on a black background, and at the bottom is inscribed with "Florida-27".

The 1927 plates will not contain a map of Florida, as plates for this year in other years have, and the word, "Florida," is printed in full. The size of the 1927 plates is the same as that of the 1926 plates. The motor vehicle department in the comptroller's office has placed an order for 51,000 license plates.

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OKEECHOBEE HIGH SCHOOL

The Okeechobee high school opened September 6. The members of the faculty are: Supervising principal, R. M. Dorsey; principal, Mrs. R. M. Dorsey; Miss Corinne Jones, Cottonwood, Ala., domestic science; Mrs. Jane Clayton Woodworth, Linton, Ind., English and history in the junior high; Prof. S. A. Merchant, Conner, Ga., mathematics and athletic coach; Mrs. Gertrude Wilson Shuler, Pelham, Ga., science in senior high; Miss Rachel Crozier, English in senior high; Mrs. R. M. Dorsey, mathematics in senior high school.

MOORE HAVEN

(Compiled From The Democrat.)

Mr. and Mrs. Valzer are spending a few days in Tampa this week.

Mr. C. J. Ryan is now doing the housekeeping for the Moore Haven ice plant.

F. W. Mills has been shipping cars of muck during the past week. He reports the demand good.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Allen and children are making plans to move to Clewiston as soon as they can find a house.

Almost all the fish boats are ready and started fishing Wednesday, which was the legal time for the season, to open for commercial fishing.

Cecil Parkinson made a trip to Alva Sunday. He reports the water level in spots where the river is very high through that part of the country.

H. T. Frierson reports his nursery doing finely. He has a nice collection of palms for the short time he has been in the business.

Mr. Hinton and Mr. Sligh are signing up those people who live in the Glades county section who want share in the bank.

The majority of the stock for local share-holders already signed up, but would like to have it all owned locally.

The Moore Haven school opened its doors Monday morning at 10 o'clock for the 1926-27 season. A large number of parents and patrons showed their interest by attending the opening exercises in the high school assembly room.

Rev. Peden returned home Thursday after holding several very successful revival meetings in Louisiana and Texas. Mr. Peden not only is an able preacher, but has one of the most productive her businesses in this section, where bees do so well, and honey is at its best.

Mrs. J. P. Jenson, daughter, Esther, Mrs. Jones and Marie Jones are back from their two months vacation spent in Montana. They went by automobile and had a fine trip.

GLADES WEATHER

Rita
Record of meteorological observations taken by the undersigned as a cooperative observer of the Weather Bureau of the U. S. Department of Agriculture during the week ending September 4, 1926.

Date	High	Low	Rainfall
29	90	72	0.00
30	91	74	0.00
31	92	74	0.00
1	92	75	0.00
2	92	75	0.00
3	92	75	0.00
4	88	74	0.00

D. W. BEARDSLEY, Cooperative Observer.

Belle Glade, Florida.

Temperature, rainfall and evaporation for the week ending Saturday, September 4, 1926.

Date	Max.	Min.	fall	Evap.
29	90	72	0.00	221
30	89	74	0.00	223
31	92	74	0.00	180
1	91	74	0.00	183
2	94	73	0.00	226
3	95	74	0.00	251
4	94	73	0.00	217

GEO. E. TEDDER, Recorder.

Clewiston

Weather report for week ending September 3, 1926.

Date	High	Low	Rainfall
28	90	72	0.12
29	90	74	0.00
30	90	74	0.00
31	92	73	0.00
1	91	75	0.00
2	92	75	0.00
3	92	75	0.00

Total 0.12

HAROLD SIMPSON, Observer.

Canal Point

Temperature and rainfall record at Canal Point, Florida, for week ending September 5, 1926.

Date	High	Low	Rainfall
31	94	71	0.00
1	93	70	0.00
2	95	71	0.00
3	95	71	0.00
4	90	70	1.42
5	90	74	0.14

Average 93 71 Total 1.56

Total rainfall since January 1, 1926, 38.59 inches.

Gauge below lock 183 feet.

Gauge below lock 174 feet.

C. P. SHEFFIELD.

Made White Horse Idol - to Placate Spaniard

Hernando Cortes, in the year 1525, entered Peten, the northernmost department of Guatemala, on his way from Mexico to Honduras. Eugene Cunningham relates, in *Adventure Magazine*, that he is credited with being the first white man to penetrate those dense jungles and reach Lake Peten-Itza, which is the Mayan tongue was "Haltunna," or "Lake With Houses," and took upon the busy island city of the Itzae, an offshoot of the advanced Mayas who then peopled Yucatan and Guatemala.

The canals, or lord of the Itzae, received Cortes with hospitality, embraced Christianity and pledged allegiance to the Spanish king. Cortes remained for a time at Haltunna, letting his force recover from the hard journey, and when he went on to Honduras he left behind a lame white horse. This animal has furnished the fertile imaginations of Spanish historians with one of their most picturesque myths of "Mysterious Peten."

For the Indians, the story runs, having never before seen a horse, and understanding only that it was sick, it was they would have fed a human instead of more than ordinary importance. The poor brute did not long survive a diet of cooked meat, fish and birds.

Upon its death the poor Itzae, who had worshipped it as something rather more than mortal, were fearful of Cortes' wrath. So they thought to fool the conquistador. They carried from white stone a replica and set it up in their chief temple against Cortes' return.

Even today, say some inhabitants of Flores—the modern town on the site of Ancient Haltunna—the image may be seen at certain times in the waters of Lake Peten-Itza, near the uninhabited island of Santa Barbara, where it is said the raft transporting it was wrecked. This image, reported by two Franciscans as the temple in 1618, is often termed the "Sacred White Horse of Peten" and the "Sacred Horse of Guatemala."

Veracity of Witness Put to Severe Test

The courts in countries of the Far East would not dream of accepting the evidence that satisfies us, yet condemn men to death for reasons we should consider trifling, according to Rosita Forbes, who tells how the mysterious East solves its crime problems in an article in *Liberty*, in which, for instance, Miss Forbes says: "In any important case, the testimony of two eye-witnesses is necessary and these may be tested in a most unpleasant manner. The local inn, or some holy man connected with the mosque, beats a long strip of cotton in a brazier. When the end is white-hot, it is laid on the tongue of the witness. If it burns him, he is a liar. If it has no effect, he is speaking the truth. "I have seen this test justify its existence," writes Miss Forbes, "for the metal rests on the tongue for only the fraction of a second. The truthful man is not afraid and the saliva in his mouth saves him from a burn. The false witness is terrified and his mouth goes so dry that the first touch scalds his tongue!"

Yes, It's a Puny One

"There are hundreds of practical jokes in this world," declares the Leslie avenue bachelor, "and each one has a bagful of tricks to play on his friends. But there is one that they all use that apparently gives them the utmost in pleasure. They play it on the bald-headed guest whom they invite out to dinner by offering him the use of a comb. Being bald myself, I have been forced to chuckle my way through this job on countless occasions. But seriously, I think it's the zero of the art. And while I don't think there is a chance to eliminate it, I wish it could be done if only to show what little respect might be added to a practical joker's effectiveness."—Detroit News.

Above Nations

Goethe, without being a Shakespeare, was cast in that mighty mold which we must call Shakespearean. He fell short of Shakespeare, but he was different from Shakespeare, who was so to speak, a "ninth wave" breaking on our Elizabethan shores with the momentum of great sea behind him, whereas Goethe was virtually a first wave unsupported and unimpelled by tradition and racial inheritance. Shakespeare crowned him the use of a comb. Goethe founded German literature. No Chaucer, no Spenser behind him; no long speech of the race; no great companions such as Shakespeare had; no air of poetry and national expression, such as Shakespeare breathed.—H. G. Wells.

One of Nature's Wonders

The elephant breathes and smells by means of his trunk; with it he puts food and drink into his mouth, throws dirt or hay on his back to protect it from flies, pulls down trees, lifts heavy burdens or safely picks up the most delicate, fragile things. It serves the purpose of a hand, having a sensitive touch which enables it to untie knots, open doors, or give himself a shower bath.

Tallahassee.—A total of \$420,539.76 was collected up to August 31 on the three-fourths of a mill tax levy for free school text books, according to figures given out by W. S. Cuthon, superintendent of public instruction.

STATE GENERAL

Barlow.—The building permit for the erection of the Hills Brothers Company building for the new canning plant located on W. Main street has been taken out. The building is to be 1824 432 feet, and will have concrete floors as well as a concrete base. The building will be of frame construction. It is to be completed by October, and the cost is given as \$25,000.

Jacksonville.—A bill is being prepared to be introduced at the next session of the Florida legislature, which, if adopted, will exempt the city of Jacksonville from having to pay the four-cent gasoline tax imposed by the state. Thomas C. Imeson, highways commissioner, in a motion, requested that Austin Miller, city attorney, draw the bill so it may be submitted by Fred M. Val, police commissioner, who was elected one of the representatives from Duval county, when he attends the session.

Gainesville.—A modern sewage disposal plant is being constructed on the grounds of the University of Florida here for the purpose of adequately caring care of the needs of the institution and at the same time for offering an interesting research and experimental field.

Miami.—Charges that Martin J. Golden, former Miami real estate operator, illegally obtained about \$50,000 from Miami negroes during his operations here last year were made at a hearing in county court when that Golden's brokerage license was ordered revoked by Judge W. F. Blanton. H. C. Crittenden, representative of the Florida Real Estate Commission, testified that Golden sold property under water as high and dry land. A United States post office inspector attended the hearing.

How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

DOG DAYS

"MUZZLE that dog! The idea of letting a dog go about that way in these dog days!" And it was a "dog day."

Why do you call it hot dog days dog days? To be sure, in the summer, dogs are dangerous, and when people fire not compelled to be as careful as they must be now to inactivate them for doing harm, the hot days witnessed enough horrible accidents to earn the appellation. But that isn't how it started.

The ancients, with their myths and goddesses, were ardent devotees of astronomy. The planets were popularized, so that school children were familiar not only with this symbol, but, but their physical changes. "Dog days" was the name given by the ancients to a period of about forty days at the time of the rise of Sirius, the planet called the Dog Star. This happened to be at the hottest time of the year, the star rising on July 1. On account of the changes of procession of the Equinoxes, the date has been brought down to about July 23.

Regardless of Sirius, we call them "dog days." It is hot, and cool weather we do not divert our attention from the strenuous life to astronomical problems. Yet the planet rises just the same.

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